Maine Revised Statutes

Title 12: CONSERVATION

Chapter 915: HUNTING: SEASONS, REQUIREMENTS AND RESTRICTIONS HEADING: PL 2003, c. 414, Pt. A, §2 (new); Pt. D, §7 (aff); c. 614, §9 (aff)

§11228. HUNTING WITH DOGS

- 1. **Collar required.** A person may not hunt with a dog in pursuit of bear, coyote or bobcat unless the dog has a collar that legibly provides the name, telephone number and address of the owner of that dog.
 - A. A person who violates this subsection commits a civil violation for which a fine of not less than \$100 or more than \$500 may be adjudged. [2011, c. 432, $\S 2$ (NEW).]
 - B. A person who violates this subsection after having been adjudicated as having committed 3 or more civil violations under this Part within the previous 5-year period commits a Class E crime. [2011, c. 432, §2 (NEW).]

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[ 2011, c. 432, §2 (NEW) .]
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2. **Limit on number of dogs.** A person or persons may not use more than 6 dogs at any one time to hunt coyotes or bobcats. A person who violates this subsection commits a Class E crime.

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[ 2011, c. 432, §2 (NEW) .]
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3. **Night hunting with dogs.** A person may not use a dog to hunt coyotes during the period from 30 minutes after sunset to 30 minutes before sunrise. A person who violates this subsection commits a Class E crime.

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[ 2011, c. 432, §2 (NEW) .]

SECTION HISTORY
2011, c. 432, §2 (NEW).
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